



Bay City VNEA Pool Leagues

American Amusements/Melody Music

“Determining Player Averages”

Returning Players that played last year will use their final highest average from the last season, regardless of Division/Night, please refer to “Historical Averages,” to start the season (minimum of 3 weeks or more in a division.)

NOTE: For the first 3 weeks of 8Ball (9 games played.)

- A returning player who has an established average from the past year, and is now playing in a higher Division, shall deduct 1 point off their established average.
- If the player has moved up 2 Divisions, they shall deduct 2 points from their established average.
- If a player moves down 1 Division, they shall increase their established average by 1 point.

A **New Player** is a player that is...

- A brand new player to the league.
- A player that did play in the past 2 years.
 - Subject to League Official Review

New Players will use an average as follows...

- Division 1 players – Minimum of 7
- Division 2 players – Minimum of 7
- Division 3 players – Minimum of 7
- 9-Ball players – Minimum of 4

On the first night for a **New Player**, they shall be placed on the team's score sheet with an average of 7 for 8-Ball or a 4 for 9-Ball.

The new player keeps that Divisional minimum average for 9 played games in 8Ball, and 18 games played in 9Ball, after which, the average shown on the current stat sheet will be used going forward.

Note: Once you have established a Divisional League Average, and for the rest of the league season, your average used, will be as published on the weekly stat sheet. You must have played a minimum of 3 weeks in a division to establish your average.



Minimum Games Played to Establish a Divisional Average...

- 8Ball – 9 games played
- 9Ball – 18 games played

Averages are calculated by total points divided by games played.

0.00 to 1.49	=	1 average
1.50 to 2.49	=	2 average
2.50 to 3.49	=	3 average
3.50 to 4.49	=	4 average
4.50 to 5.49	=	5 average
5.50 to 6.49	=	6 average
6.50 to 7.49	=	7 average
7.50 to 8.49	=	8 average
8.50 to 9.49	=	9 average
9.50 to 10.00	=	10 average

**Any questions/concerns, ask for help from a League Official.
Thank you, and have a great season!**

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